

## **SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 10**

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### **DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging INDOT to rename a portion of Interstate 69 the Officer Michael E. Deno Memorial Highway.

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## **TOMES, WATERMAN, RANDOLPH**

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January 15, 2013 , read first time and referred to Committee on Homeland Security, Transportation and Veterans Affairs.

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2           portion of Interstate 69 the Officer Michael E. Deno Memorial  
3           Highway.

4           *Whereas, Officer Michael E. Deno was an Oakland City*  
5           *Police Officer who was shot by a motorist on February 28,*  
6           *2000 after making a traffic stop. He died the next day of his*  
7           *wound;*

8           *Whereas, Michael Deno was born on September 18, 1975*  
9           *to Melvin Deno and Cindy Bonilla . He was raised in Oakland*  
10           *City, where he graduated from Wood Memorial High School in*  
11           *1994;*

12           *Whereas, Officer Deno served as a part time police officer*  
13           *and became a full time officer after graduating from the*  
14           *Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in 1999;*

15           *Whereas, Officer Deno was active in the Oakland City*  
16           *community as a member of the Oakland City Fire Department,*  
17           *the Sommerville Gun Club, and the Fraternal Order of Police.*  
18           *He also regularly attended church services; and*  
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20           *Whereas, In recognition of his ultimate sacrifice, the*  
21           *Indiana Department of Transportation is urged to rename a*  
22           *portion of Interstate 69, from the State Road 64 interchange to*  
23           *the Patoka River/Wildlife Refuge Bridge, the Officer Michael E.*  
24           *Deno Memorial Highway: Therefore,*



*Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly  
of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. The Indiana General Assembly urges INDOT to  
rename a portion of Interstate 69 the Officer Michael E. Deno  
Memorial Highway.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to  
transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Indiana Department of  
Transportation.

